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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This amendment is in response to the final Office Action dated January 16, 2001 received in the above-identified application, and accompanies a divisional Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) under CFR 1.53(d). Enclosed herewith is a petition for a one month extension of time and the required fee, making this a timely response.